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**From:** Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 04, 2008 10:09 AM  
**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: Lauden

Let me check on paying with a credit card to make sure. I will also get you the exact total. Janice

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Sent using BlackBerry

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**To:** Mason, Janice L (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Sent:** Fri Jul 04 10:02:54 2008  
**Subject:** Re: Lauden

And what's the total amount.

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**From:** Janice Mason  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin  
**To:** K Perry  
**Sent:** Jul 4, 2008 10:03 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Lauden

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**From:** Nizich, Michael A (GOV) [mike.nizich@alaska.gov]

**Sent:** Friday, July 04, 2008 10:58 PM

**To:** gov.palin@yahoo.com

**Subject:** RE: limits

Got it. Talked to Cora and we will have to regroup on this.

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**From:** gov.palin@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.palin@yahoo.com]

**Sent:** Fri 7/4/2008 5:37 PM

**To:** Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

**Subject:** Re: limits

This will have to be another mission we get on:

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Todd

**To:** Sarah's Personal Email

**ReplyTo:** Todd

**Sent:** Jul 3, 2008 10:33 AM

**Subject:** Re: limits

last year seven out of the nine river system's in Bristol Bay were over escaped.

The processors told Cora that they had the processor capacity to handle this year's record forecast,not looking good so far

--- On Thu, 7/3/08, gov.palin@yahoo.com <gov.palin@yahoo.com> wrote:

> **From:** gov.palin@yahoo.com <gov.palin@yahoo.com>

> **Subject:** Re: limits

> **To:** "Todd" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

> **Date:** Thursday, July 3, 2008, 9:14 AM

> **Didn't they promise Cora they had capacity?**

> -----Original Message-----

> **From:** Todd

> **To:** Sarah's Personal Email

> **ReplyTo:** Todd

> **Sent:** Jul 2, 2008 10:24 PM

> **Subject:** limits

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> no fishing tomorrow for Peter Pan fisherman,their already

> plugged up, July 1 .Way to early to be on limits

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> I'm just venting

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Does the state want a check, credit card, what for lauden's ticket? And who do I send it to?

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Thanks so much. I'm headed to airport soon to rtn from Juneau so I'll get to read on plane.  
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**CC:** Galvin, Patrick S (DOR) <patrick.galvin@alaska.gov>; Irwin, Tom E (DNR) <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>; Balash, Joseph R (GOV) <joe.balash@alaska.gov>; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) <kris.perry@alaska.gov>; Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV) <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>; Nizich, Michael A (GOV) <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>; Stapleton, Meghan N (DNR) <meghan.stapleton@alaska.gov>  
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Governor,  
Here are your draft comments for the In-State Gas Press Conference on Monday, July 7th. I have worked with Meghan Stapleton, Pat, Tom and Joe in putting them together, and everyone is comfortable. Meghan is also putting together a draft press release for your offices use.

Additionally, Tom, Pat, Joe and I will be calling multiple individuals to give them a heads-up of the announcement late on Sunday and early Monday.

Please let me know if you need anything further.  
Thanks,  
Marty

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**Sent:** Saturday, July 05, 2008 12:43 PM  
**To:** Mason; Janice L (GOV); Lopez; Thomas M (GOV)  
**Cc:** Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Cockrell; Robert A (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: Departure

Thanks much

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**To:** Tom Lopez  
**Cc:** K Perry  
**Cc:** Bob Cockrell  
**Sent:** Jul 5, 2008 12:14 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Departure

Governor - I just spoke with Bob and the tickets have been purchased. I have added to your calendar. The AK Airlines flight departs @6:41 p.m. from JNU. Bob would like to pick up the luggage at 4:30 p.m. and then pick you and family up at 6:00 p.m. as boarding is at 6:15 p.m.

Bob's blackberry is receiving messages just not able to send any out at this point. Thanks, Janice

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**Subject:** Fw: Departure

Letting Tom know I need tkts for tonight...

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Sat, 5 Jul 2008 18:09:52

To: Janice Mason<janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Cc: Bob Cockrell<robert.cockrell@alaska.gov>

Subject: Departure

There are seats avail tonight for the three of us to travel to Anchorage, who would make those reservations? (I can, of course, but don't want to do so if someone else has worked on it). Thanks!

And great to see you yest at the parade.

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Marty

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**Sent:** Sat Jul 05 13:39:47 2008

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**Sent:** Sunday, July 06, 2008 9:32 AM  
**To:** Nancy Berland  
**Cc:** Taylor, Kenton P (DFG); Lloyd, Denby S (DFG); Palin, Sarah H (GOV); Crome, Cora J (GOV); Brookover, Thomas E (DFG)  
**Subject:** RE: transparent, accountable state agencies

Ms. Berland: we can certainly appreciate your frustration regarding the initial records request of April 29, 2008 and the ensuing time period awaiting a formal response. Please note, your original request for copies of "all memoranda, reports, data, studies, correspondence, comments, conversation records, files, electronic mail records, ..." has subsequently been modified at least three times in consultation with you in an attempt to narrow the scope of your original request. These conversations, in and of themselves, should be testament to our resolve to be accountable and transparent. We are currently in the final throws of satisfying your modified request dated June 3, 2008 and should have the email records to you this week.

Respectfully,  
Charlie Swanton

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**From:** Nancy Berland [mailto:lcc11@aptalaska.net]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 03, 2008 2:27 PM  
**To:** Swanton, Charles O (DFG)  
**Cc:** Taylor, Kenton P (DFG); Lloyd, Denby S (DFG); Palin, Sarah H (GOV); Crome, Cora J (GOV); Brookover, Thomas E (DFG)  
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Dear Charlie,

Lynn Canal Conservation has been advocating protecting the outstanding salmon spawning and rearing habitat inside the Alaska Chilkat Bald Eagle Preserve from **preventable** impacts from 32-passenger twin 150 horsepower commercial jet boat tours since 2000. Our past involvement is well documented in the administrative record.

Having a scientific basis is key to good decision-making. Providing the public with that scientific basis is good policy and makes for transparent, accountable government.

The 2008 ADFG recommendations for the commercial jet boat tour route are the first from the Palin administration, and represent a **significant departure** from the precautionary management of past ADFG recommendations. Since April 29, LCC has unsuccessfully tried to ascertain ADFG's scientific basis for those recommendations through a series of 3 records requests. As of today, July 3, we are no closer to learning that basis than we were on April 29.

What we have learned is that "there is not a central file system within the department containing a single or central Chilkat River file for 2008." That the individual who was central to decision-making stated "existing public records will likely not provide answers to the specific questions posed in your requests for scientific rationale." That the local ADFG office - even though it was involved in formulating the recommendations - has been instructed not to provide us with information and instead we must go through Anchorage.

Since ADFG seems unable/unwilling to provide its scientific basis, can we correctly assume that there was no scientific basis upon which ADFG reversed precautionary management of some of the best salmon habitat inside the Preserve, and Southeast Alaska?

Nancy Berland  
Conservation Director

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**Subject:** Re: Governor's In-State Gasline draft PRESS RELEASE, and Questions & Answers

Great. And I'll ask Sharon to make sure I have an Alaskan map there so I can point out via an overlay the Richardson Hwy route vs Parks Hwy route. Also to point out where the Foothills are in relation to Prudhoe - and even where Cook Inlet is. Remember some folks, including some reporters, may not know where were talking about taking the resource. Thanks!

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Marty

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**Sent:** Sunday, July 06, 2008 3:41 PM  
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**Subject:** Fw: In-State Gas concept paper for Monday's Press Conference

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Date:** Sun, 6 Jul 2008 23:38:16 +0000  
**To:** Marty Rutherford<marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>; Pat Galvin<patrick.galvin@alaska.gov>; Tom Irwin<tom.irwin@alaska.gov>; Joe Balash<joe.balash@alaska.gov>; K Perry<kris.perry@alaska.gov>  
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Sent: Thu Jul 03 21:13:21 2008

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Joe

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To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'  
Subject: Re: Whitaker

Dear governor palin. That would be fine with me. Talis.

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Yes, having LAW available to help answer questions tomorrow would be great. lpm in my conf room.

Suffice it to say, I "don't get it" when I read of Whittaker's letter in the press.

May I cc Tom/Marty team so they know your take on this?

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Dear governor palin. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted  
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well as all of our constitutional obligations. Talis.

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Governor, Just in case my previous email didn't reach you, I am sending it again.  
Marty

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Governor, Great questions and I'll give them a shot, but others may wish to weigh-in with additional input.

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**Cc:** Mason; Janice L (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frank Bailey  
**Subject:** AlsoRe: Linda Perez's Mother

Kris/Frank: wanted you to see also re: Linda's mom.

Janice- I'll be working on tomorrow's gasoline announcement speech today-but other than that I doubt I'm going anywhere for the state so you can note on sched: "no duty" !

Mike- a possibility on First Family travel... past Govs had their special accounts from donors that they could spend on whatever... we're not allowed this, but we do still have \$ in the Inaugural account. May we use that or ask the legislature to adopt that option for the Gov's office to utilize? (Assuming it takes a law change?)

-----Original Message-----

**From:** M Nizich  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin  
**Cc:** Janice Mason  
**Sent:** Jul 6, 2008 12:04 AM  
**Subject:** Linda Perez's Mother

Linda's mother pass away today. She had not been doing too well in the past two weeks and passed away this afternoon. Thought you should know.

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**From:** Alaska Miners Association [ama@alaskaminers.org]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 11:57 AM  
**To:** Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV)  
**Subject:** A copy of a comment letter on the TLMP Experimental Forest Comments (Draft 6/19/08)  
Dear Governor Palin,

Please find attached in pdf format a copy of a comment letter dated July 3, 2008 from Steven C. Borell, P.E., Executive Director of the Alaska Miners Association to Mr. Dennis Bschor, Regional Forester in Juneau, AK regarding the TLMP Experimental Forest Comments (Draft 6/19/2008).

Thank you.  
Sharon G Cox, Secretary  
Alaska Miners Association  
3305 Arctic Blvd., Ste. 105  
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**To:** Governor Sarah Palin  
**To:** K Perry  
**Cc:** Sharon Leighow  
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Sent: Monday, July 07, 2008 4:52 PM  
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)  
Subject: Re: FW: Asking for letter of recommendation from Governor

Yes I remember him, slightly. We can do a form letter for cody.

-----Original Message-----

From: Janice Mason  
To: Governor Sarah Palin  
Sent: Jul 7, 2008 4:53 PM  
Subject: FW: FW: Asking for letter of recommendation from Governor

Governor - Please see email below. Request for letter of recommendation (which they will need to provide) if you approve. I asked Todd but he does not recall the name at all.

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> Thanks, Janice

> -----Original Message-----

> From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov  
> [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]  
> Sent: Monday, June 30, 2008 11:36 PM  
> To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
> Subject: Other

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> Web mail from: cody prater-cox  
> address: P.O. Box 298236 Wasilla Ak 99654 wasilla AK 99654  
> 907-775-2232

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> MESSAGE:

> hi sarah

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> my name is cody prater-cox i went to school with your son

> track since  
> elementary school so you might know/remember me. but  
> anyways ill cut to  
> the point i am trying to get into the air force academy,  
> and i need some  
> kind of appointee in a high place to make it. but i figured  
> since i have  
> known your family for awhile i would ask you befor i ask  
> the senators,  
> thank you and i hope to hear from you soon  
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> cody  
>  
> codyp\_69@hotmail.com

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**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 3:25 PM

**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

**Subject:** please approve

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Sharon Leighow  
Deputy Press Secretary  
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**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 11:06 AM  
**To:** 'Sarah Palin'  
**Cc:** Nizich, Michael A (GOV)  
**Subject:** FW: Juneau Email

Governor - just wanted you to see the appreciative email from Juneau. Janice

-----Original Message-----

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**Sent:** Friday, July 04, 2008 7:05 PM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** Other

Web mail from: Mr. Jim Burns  
address: 4128 Dogwood Lane Juneau AK 99801  
907-789-5285

### MESSAGE:

Governor Palin, I enjoyed reading your article in the Juneau Empire and was really pleasantly surprised seeing you in the parade. I heard numerous comments from people on the street and both the article and seeing you in the State Capi



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Governor - Please see email below. Request for letter of recommendation (which they will need to provide) if you approve. I asked Todd but he does not recall the name at all.

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> Thanks, Janice

> -----Original Message-----

> From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov

> [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

> Sent: Monday, June 30, 2008 11:36 PM

> To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

> Subject: Other

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> Web mail from: cody prater-cox

> address: P.O. Box 298236 Wasilla Ak 99654 wasilla AK 99654

> 907-775-2232

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> MESSAGE:

> hi sarah

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> my name is cody prater-cox i went to school with your s

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**From:** Rutherford, Marty K (DNR) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MKRUTHERFORD]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 4:18 PM  
**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Cc:** Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV)  
**Subject:** In-State Gas concept paper for Monday's Press Conference

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**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 4:06 PM  
**To:** Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Subject:** Fw: Bristol Bay

Just fyi re: wesley's question to me about Bristol bay set netters.

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Date:** Mon, 7 Jul 2008 23:33:30 +0000  
**To:** Cora Crome<cora.crome@alaska.gov>; M Nizich<mike.nizich@alaska.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: Bristol Bay

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**Subject:** Re: Scheduling Request (Tues., Wed.,) 07.08-07.09.08

I'm fine w them doing this w the AGIA team instead of me then... and would you make sure they email me a summary of their discussion? Thanks

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**From:** "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Mon, 07 Jul 2008 15:48:41 -0800  
**To:** ExternalEmailsp<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**CC:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)<kris.perry@alaska.gov>; Nizich, Michael A (GOV) <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Scheduling Request (Tues., Wed.,) 07.08-07.09.08

Governor - I apologize - I just got off the phone w/Exxon and Marty Massey will not be available due to traveling tomorrow (Tues.). So, the best day would be Wed., or Thurs., (before the 10:00 a.m. testimony). If you are not available then they would like to do the preview courtesy with Comm. Galvin or Comm. Irwin, or Marty. I let them know that you would be in travel status yourself to the National Governor's Association meeting. Thanks, Janice

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**Subject:** Re: Scheduling Request (Tues., Wed.,) 07.08-07.09.08

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**CC:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)<kris.perry@alaska.gov>; Nizich, Michael A (GOV) <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>  
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**From:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 1:20 PM  
**To:** soonerfans@gci.net  
**Subject:** RE: Other

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**Sent:** Sunday, July 06, 2008 4:14 PM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** Other

Web mail from: Ms. Tonya Essary  
address: 2260 Fritz Cove Rd. Juneau AK 99801

### MESSAGE:

I just wanted to tell you it was a pleasure to see you and your two youngest in the July 4th parade. My children were touched when you saw us with our Oklahoma Sooner t-shirts and hats on and you gave a thumbs up and said go OU SOONERS! My ten year old wants to be a true Alaskan girl like you. We moved here from Oklahoma two and half years ago and would not move to the lower 48 for anything. We love Juneau, our state jobs and Alaska. Thank you for your time and GO SOONER BOOMERS!

Tonya Essary

soonerfans@gci.net

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**From:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 1:11 PM  
**To:** mccarole59@hotmail.com  
**Subject:** RE: Other

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**Sent:** Sunday, July 06, 2008 12:40 PM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** Other

Web mail from: Ms. Harry J. McDonald  
address: 7044 Kulchay Circle Eagle River AK 99577  
9076963176

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Upon reading the paper today, I noticed the photo of you and Trig and Piper, riding in the 4th of July Parade in Juneau. You were wearing a Mac Center baseball hat, and I was so proud and pleased to see that, as Harry McDonald was my husband. I support you as governor and am pleased with the job you are doing.

Sincerely,

Carole McDonald

mccarole59@hotmail.com

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 3:42 PM  
**To:** Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: please approve

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**From:** "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Mon, 07 Jul 2008 15:24:54 -0800  
**To:** <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**Subject:** please approve

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**From:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 11:06 AM  
**To:** 'matt\_on\_moon@yahoo.com'  
**Subject:** RE: Homeland\_Security

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**From:** WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 04, 2008 10:43 PM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** Homeland\_Security

Web mail from: Mr. Mathew Shurley  
address: 8060 N. Glenn Fresno CA 93711  
559-259-1750

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin:

I would liketo praise you and let you know how supported you are in California. Although I am not a resident in your state of Alaska, I am extremely proud of you doings. You have transformed Alaska and even affected us in California.

You have extreme support here and have inspired many to reach for their dreams and not hide in the shadows. I urge you to continue with your great work with energy, oil, education, healthcare, ect. You are a great governor, I am hope that you will have great importance in this presidential election.

Mathew Shurley

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**From:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 11:05 AM  
**To:** 'snownurse1@aol.com'  
**Subject:** RE: Fish\_and\_Game

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**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** Fish\_and\_Game

Web mail from: Ms. Marlene Buccione Miller  
address: HC-52, Box 8755 Indian AK 99540  
907-653-7507

MESSAGE:

Honorable, and fully respected, Gov. Palin,

I'm not sure if you were informed that Potter Marsh Grand Opening will be Saturday, July 26, 2008.

It would mean so much if you could attend this grand opening. There will be rehabilitated eagle release, signing of the Urban Treaty for Migratory Birds. Our new boardwalk is now over 1,000 ft with wildlife viewing decks and viewing blinds. ADF&G's Mobile Aquatic Classroom will even be there. Some of the sponsors, none of this is political, so your husband can even come, are Alaska Department of Fish and Game, Bird Treatment and Learning Center, MOA Parks and Recreation, Alaska Zoo, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Anchorage Audubon, Anchorage Waterways Council, and Ducks Unlimited also Audubon Alaska. Your schedule is so busy so I can understand, I'm just an old operating room nurse, now wildlife photographer, and I have a friend who is a FBI agent, Bob Busey, in Anchorage if you need credentials. Thank you so much,

Respectfully,

Marlene Buccione-Miller

snownurser1@aol.com

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 10:29 AM  
**To:** Mason; Janice L (GOV)  
**Cc:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: Schedule for Today, Monday, 07.07.08

Pls send script again- by now it's lost in pile of emails

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Janice Mason  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin  
**Cc:** K Perry  
**Sent:** Jul 7, 2008 9:47 AM  
**Subject:** Schedule for Today, Monday, 07.07.08

Governor -

Andy/Jason are up in ANC today (Monday). They have a script ready to shoot the Miss Alaska Scholarship DVD that needs to be submitted before your return from NGA. This will take approx. 10 minutes with set up. They would like to do this today. Thank you, Janice

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**From:** Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]

**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 3:25 PM

**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

**Subject:** please approve

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**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 4:27 PM  
**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'  
**Cc:** Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)  
**Subject:** Rep. Ramras

Steve Quinn just told me that Rep. Ramras is doing cartwheels he is so happy with today's announcement.

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**From:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]

**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 8:49 AM

**To:** 'Sarah Palin'

**Subject:** Yes, I will...

Call Bob today. ☺ That was great.

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**From:** Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 1:52 PM  
**To:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Cc:** Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Subject:** Reimbursement for Airline Ticket

Governor -

I have checked into the reimbursement of airline ticket that was purchased for NGA. The state has no way of accepting credit card payments for travel reimbursement. You would need to write out a personal check to the State of Alaska. The amount is for \$724.25. The check can be sent to the JNU office as it needs to be given to Linda. Thank you, Janice

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**From:** Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 4:24 PM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Provost; Kathryn T (GOV)  
**Subject:** RE: Transportation

Please let me know as this is a scheduling request why it went directly to Katie. I would be happy to answer this if it has not already been addressed. Thanks, Janice

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**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 2:47 PM  
**To:** Provost, Kathryn T (GOV)  
**Cc:** Mason, Janice L (GOV)  
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**Subject:** Transportation

Web mail from: Ms. Marina Jarvis  
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**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 5:18 PM  
**To:** Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Bailey; Frank T (GOV); 'frank bailey'  
**Cc:** 'krisandclark@yahoo.com'; Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'  
**Subject:** FW: Reporter

Here we go.

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**From:** Colleen Starring [mailto:Colleen.Starring@enstarnaturalgas.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 5:08 PM  
**To:** Balash, Joseph R (GOV)  
**Subject:** RE: Reporter

Joe,

The clarification is being made as we speak.

Colleen

M. Colleen Starring  
Regional Vice President  
ENSTAR Natural Gas Company  
(907) 334-7659 Direct  
(907) 301-3179 Mobile

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**From:** Balash, Joseph R (GOV) [mailto:joe.balash@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 4:58 PM  
**To:** Colleen Starring  
**Subject:** Reporter

Colleen,

The specific reporter I spoke with was Rena Delbridge at the Fairbanks Daily News-Miner. Her number is 459-7518. If at all possible, could a clarification be made with her?

Joe

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**From:** Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 4:03 PM  
**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'  
**Subject:** accident

Governor-

I just heard about the accident. I hope you are okay. I did get a call from Dennis Zaki with Alaskareport.com asking for details. I'm sure more media outlets will find out. May I share-

You were rear ended at Glenn and Bragaw intersection.  
You are sore but suffered no major injuries  
You were alone in the vehicle

Sharon Leighow  
Deputy Press Secretary  
Deputy Communications Director

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(907) 465-4031 Juneau  
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**From:** Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 4:06 PM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** RE: Environment

This is a strange one. I do not know if it warrants a response. If so - I would recommend sending to communications.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 1:36 PM  
**To:** Mason, Janice L (GOV)  
**Subject:** FW: Environment

Janice,

Not sure what to do with this, if it was out of state I would delete it, but it is not, can you help???

-----Original Message-----

**From:** WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 10:36 AM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** Environment

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**From:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 2:55 PM  
**To:** Smith; Lynne M (GOV)  
**Subject:** FW: Weekly: Can America Solve Its Problems?

**From:** membership@uschamber.com [mailto:membership@uschamber.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 12:26 PM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** Weekly: Can America Solve Its Problems?

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Tuesday, July 8, 2008

### Can America Solve Its Problems?

By Tom Donohue, President and CEO



Underneath Americans' joy and hoopla while celebrating the Fourth of July was deep-seated doubt about America's ability to compete and win in a rapidly changing world.

Pick up any paper or watch any newscast and you're sure to see a commentator saying that America is in decline and is incapable of fixing its problems. *New York Times* columnist Thomas Friedman says forget Iraq and Afghanistan; we need nation building right here in America, and nothing else really matters. *Newsweek* commentator Fareed Zakaria captures American anxiety in his new book. He notes that the world's tallest building is in Taipei. Its largest publicly traded company is in Beijing. Its biggest refinery is being constructed in India, and so on.

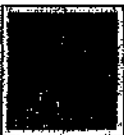
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When a disaster hits, there's not a lot of time to move into action. To facilitate a speedy disaster recovery, a community must have on-the-ground expert analysis, clear goal-setting, and a well-defined division of labor, according to a new report issued by the U.S. Chamber of Commerce Business Civic Leadership Center on July 1.

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**From:** Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 7:52 AM  
**To:** Katz, John W (GOV)  
**Cc:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: Senator Stevens/In-State Gas Pipeline

Yeah! Thanks

----- Original Message -----

**From:** John Katz <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>  
**To:** Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)  
**Cc:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV)  
**Sent:** Tue Jul 08 06:43:57 2008  
**Subject:** Senator Stevens/In-State Gas Pipeline

You may have seen it already, but I wanted to make sure that you had a copy of Senator Stevens' statement (pasted below) in support of the In-State gas proposal you announced yesterday.

I think that the level of communication and coordination we are now seeing will be beneficial at both the State and federal levels as we pursue our respective energy initiatives.

Senator Stevens to Actively Support

Gov. Palin's In-State Gasline Proposal

Stands Ready to Help in Federal Administrative Process

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Senator Ted Stevens (R-Alaska) today offered praise for Governor Sarah Palin's in-state natural gas pipeline proposal and pledged his full backing of the project.

"The Governor's in-state gasline proposal has my full support. This is absolutely critical to our future economy. If Alaskans work together, we can expect delivery of this affordable energy source in what is really a very short timeframe," said Senator Stevens. "The concept of a public-private partnership will get this project from the drawing board to construction quickly and efficiently. I will write a letter to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Tuesday asking them to assess and speed up any permitting that may be required for construction of this pipeline."

The energy initiatives Senator Stevens announced last week included proposed legislation aimed at streamlining development and federal permitting of an in-state gasline. His energy initiatives will lay a broad foundation for addressing Alaska's and the nation's energy crisis through the combination of increased domestic production; development of renewable and alternative energy; conservation and energy efficiency; and protection from lawsuits and market manipulation.

"Governor Palin's plan for an in-state gas line is aligned with our common goal to help bring Alaskans the next generation of affordable and clean energy," said Senator Stevens.

John W. Katz

Director of State/Federal Relations

and Special Counsel to the Governor

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**From:** Nizich, Michael A (GOV) [mike.nizich@alaska.gov]

**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 11:50 PM

**To:** gov.palin@yahoo.com

**Subject:** RE: Deputy Commissioner for Wildlife Conservation

So is that the green light to get this moving? I'd be happy to make the offer and arrangements while you are out of state.

By the way I have a meeting scheduled with Walt Friday afternoon. I will call you with the results of that meeting.

Mike

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**From:** gov.palin@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.palin@yahoo.com]

**Sent:** Tue 7/8/2008 10:52 PM

**To:** Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

**Subject:** Re: Deputy Commissioner for Wildlife Conservation

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**From:** "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

**Date:** Tue, 08 Jul 2008 16:07:07 -0800

**To:** <gov.palin@yahoo.com>

**Subject:** FW: Deputy Commissioner for Wildlife Conservation

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**From:** Tinker  
**To:** Lloyd, Denby S (DFG)  
**Cc:** Jennifer Yuhas ; Virgil Umpenhauer  
**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 4:37 PM  
**Subject:** Deputy Commissioner for Wildlife Conservation

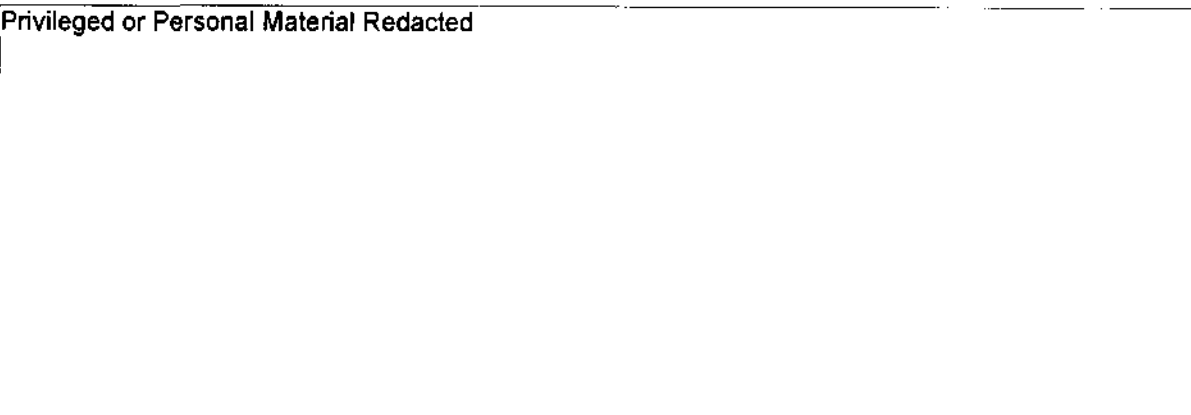
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Mike

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**From:** Nizich, Michael A (GOV) [mike.nizich@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 11:29 PM  
**To:** gov.palin@yahoo.com  
**Subject:** RE: Deputy Commissioner for Wildlife Conservation  
I agree 100%

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Mike

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**From:** Mason, Janice L (GOV) [janice.mason@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 3:13 PM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** RE: Other

This is for an out of state request. Just send the standard one. Thanks, Janice

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 1:33 PM  
**To:** Mason, Janice L (GOV)  
**Subject:** FW: Other

Does the Governor want to personalize one or should we send a standard one???

-----Original Message-----

**From:** WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 10:32 AM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** Other

Web mail from: Ms. Esther Wadley  
address: 3000 Kville Dr Auburndale FL 33823  
863-665-1916

### MESSAGE:

Our Annual Fall Banquet is scheduled for Nov. 1, 2008. The event has grown considerably and we are now expecting over 300 community and business leaders, supporters and partners in attendance. This banquet is the annual fund-raising event for Anchor House boy's home, a non-profit organization that supports children in foster care.

We would greatly appreciate your consideration of a donation of an autographed picture for the silent and live auctions. We are collecting autographed pictures from all 50 State Governors.

Anchor House Ministries, a group home for troubled boys, has been in Auburndale for thirty-four years. Our graduates now serve our armed services, local government, business and industry, and many other vocations.

Your contribution will help us to continue the many educational, vocational and social development programs running at Anchor House. We thank you for your consideration.

Once again, we hope that you will join us in the cause to help the young men in Central Florida who have nowhere else to turn to for help. Together...we can make a real difference in many lives.

Sincerely yours,

Esther Wadley

Anchor House, Inc.

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**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 2:32 PM  
**To:** Wilken; Jessica M (GOV)  
**Cc:** Mason; Janice L (GOV)  
**Subject:** FW: Energy

-----Original Message-----

**From:** WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 6:08 PM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** Energy

Web mail from: Mr. Garrett Smith  
address: P.O BOX 220392 Anch AK 99522  
(907) 382 ~ 2779

MESSAGE:

Good afternoon Governor Palin,

If I could sit down with you and talk about a few things. Energy and a few of my ideas that would be great. Please email me or call I would only ask for 10 to 15 mins of your time. Thank you for taking the time.

yessmiths@yahoo.com

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 5:10 PM  
**To:** Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Frank Bailey  
**Cc:** K Perry Yahoo; Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: Thayer Comments

If lobbyists Curtis Thayer and/or Ashely Reed did ANYTHING to deceive us or the public- they will be sorry. I heard enough "questions" today to believe we may not have been told the whole truth about Enstar's plan to work cooperatively w/us and ANGDA. Not good. We need to get to the bottom of it.

Sent from my BlackBerry device from Cellular One

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**From:** "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Tue, 08 Jul 2008 16:41:31 -0800  
**To:** <ftb907@yahoo.com>; ExternalEmailgsp<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**CC:** kris Perry<krisandclark@yahoo.com>; Nizich, Michael A (GOV) <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>; Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)<marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>; Balash, Joseph R (GOV)<joe.balash@alaska.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Thayer Comments

I have called Scott, left a message and asked him to call. The message to him: Curtis is not the decision maker! There could be a lot of this, especially from the few talk shows and the naysayers against everything. We all need to rise above it and get a pipeline. He needs to control his messages and messengers. We will control ours. Don't rise to the bait. Some want us to fail. Alaskans want this to succeed. Scott has worked hard for this. We can and will sort out the issues as we advance the partnership.

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**From:** frank bailey [mailto:ftb907@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 4:33 PM  
**To:** ExternalEmailgsp  
**Cc:** Irwin, Tom E (DNR); kris Perry; Nizich, Michael A (GOV)  
**Subject:** Thayer Comments

Governor,

Tom's calling Marty, who is going to call Heyworth.

I didn't hear Thayer's comments on KFQD but apparently they sent the ANGDA folks over the edge.

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Mike

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 4:14 PM  
**To:** Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: accident

Yeah, it was no big deal, but I'm glad to have been in a big fat vehicle.

Sent from my BlackBerry device from Cellular One

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**From:** "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Tue, 08 Jul 2008 16:14:22 -0800  
**To:** ExternalEmailsp<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**Subject:** RE: accident

Believe it or not - he got a call from someone in Kodiak who knew about it - weird. Glad you are okay.

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 4:10 PM  
**To:** Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: accident

It was very minor- I call it a fender bender, don't know what the insurance company calls it... and I'm not sore, it wasn't that impacting even. I immediately went into the office after being rear-ended.

Crap- how'd Zaki hear about it?

And I think it was Glenn and MtView (?) the intersection by Northway Mall.

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**From:** "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Tue, 08 Jul 2008 16:03:26 -0800  
**To:** <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**Subject:** accident  
Governor-

I just heard about the accident. I hope you are okay. I did get a call from Dennis Zaki with Alaskareport.com asking for details. I'm sure more media outlets will find out.  
May I share-

You were rear ended at Glenn and Bragaw Intersection.  
You are sore but suffered no major injuries  
You were alone in the vehicle

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Sharon Leighow  
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From: frank bailey [fb907@yahoo.com]  
Sent: Tuesday, July 08, 2008 4:24 PM  
To: Sarah Palin; kris Perry; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)  
Subject: Fw: Hi There Frank  
Lysa Maher saw the accident. Told Taufen, who told Zaki.

--- On Tue, 7/8/08, Lysa Maher <Privileged or Perso> wrote:

From: Lysa Maher <Privileged or Perso>  
Subject: Hi There Frank  
To: fb907@yahoo.com  
Date: Tuesday, July 8, 2008, 4:18 PM

Taufen flatters himself, when he refers to me as ' 1 of his spies'.. I told him about the lil quad fend bend, as a BTW sorta thing, cuz he was talki about W Loys blog ,  
Any how , all my best to you, your family and your most awesome boss  
Lysa

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 7:52 PM  
**To:** Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)  
**Cc:** K Perry Yahoo; Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Bailey; Frank T (GOV); Irwin; Tom E (DNR)  
**Subject:** Re: Thayer Comments

Curtis evidently participated in a couple of different venues the past couple of days - evidently his efforts were both overt and covert. If true, it will make working with Enstar pretty darn difficult and tough to answer the question: why aren't we just doing this ourselves? (As I've been asked a few times today.)

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**From:** "Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Tue, 08 Jul 2008 19:39:45 -0800  
**To:** <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**CC:** <krisandclark@yahoo.com>; Nizich, Michael A (GOV) <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>; Balash, Joseph R (GOV) <joe.balash@alaska.gov>; Bailey, Frank T (GOV) <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>; Irwin, Tom E (DNR) <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: Thayer Comments

Governor,

I spoke with Colleen Starring (Enstars Regional Vice President) and she assured me that:

- 1) Enstar is committed to the South to North project and they have been in discussions with Doyon on this strategy for some time. This is consistent with what they have said to us; and
- 2) She was leaving that moment to go see Curtis Thayer to tell him to "keep his mouth shut". She promised me he will not be saying anything further. And she apologized for him. From the discussion with her I had the distinct impression that she was surprised and very irritated that he'd participated in a call-in show.

Marty

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**To:** Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Frank Bailey <fb907@yahoo.com>  
**Cc:** K Perry Yahoo <krisandclark@yahoo.com>; Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Balash, Joseph R (GOV)  
**Sent:** Tue Jul 08 17:09:56 2008  
**Subject:** Re: Thayer Comments

If lobbyists Curtis Thayer and/or Ashely Reed did ANYTHING to deceive us or the public- they will be sorry. I heard enough "questions" today to believe we may not have been told the whole truth about Enstar's plan to work cooperatively w/us and ANGDA. Not good. We need to get to the bottom of it.

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**From:** "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Tue, 08 Jul 2008 16:41:31 -0800  
**To:** <fb907@yahoo.com>; ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**CC:** kris Perry <krisandclark@yahoo.com>; Nizich, Michael A (GOV) <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>; Rutherford, Marty K (DNR) <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>; Balash, Joseph R (GOV) <joe.balash@alaska.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Thayer Comments

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I have called Scott, left a message and asked him to call. The message to him: Curtis is not the decision maker! There could be a lot of this, especially from the few talk shows and the naysayers against everything. We all need to rise above it and get a pipeline. He needs to control his messages and messengers. We will control ours. Don't rise to the bait. Some want us to fail. Alaskans want this to succeed. Scott has worked hard for this. We can and will sort out the issues as we advance the partnership.

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From: frank bailey [mailto:fb907@yahoo.com]  
Sent: Tuesday, July 08, 2008 4:33 PM  
To: ExternalEmailgsp  
Cc: Irwin, Tom E (DNR); kris Perry; Nizich, Michael A (GOV)  
Subject: Thayer Comments

Governor,

Tom's calling Marty, who is going to call Heyworth.

I didn't hear Thayer's comments on KFQD but apparently they sent the ANGDA folks over the edge.

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**From:** PAUL KENDALL [pauldkendall@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 3:48 PM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); gov team  
**Cc:** resources@akrdc.org  
**Subject:** T. Boone Pickens.. An energy plan --On National T.V. -Harmonic Fuels  
**Date:** 7-8-08 Tuesday

**To:** All Citizens

**Ref:** [www.Pickens.plan.com](http://www.Pickens.plan.com)

T. Boone Pickens a plan for Energy -- ENERGY - Harmonic Fuels

From: Paul D. Kendall "Will Free"

Ladies and Gentlemen,,,

Wow, I just saw T.Boone Pickens on a National T. V. add on CNN about Harmonic Fuels...3rd time now... this am...and he is announcing an ENERGY PLAN..

WOW! good ol America.

GOD, i love America and our Govenor Palin(& team) and T Boone Pickens..

I think they get the message on energy. I think..I

It truly is inspirational to see that someone gets it..and as an old dog... Pickens gets it... wow....

Pehaps our Govenors team can invite Mr. Pickens up to Alaska to help us merge our Oil and Gas Fossil Fuels which we need for Revenues from those people still addicted to

"the fossil distribution network system and associates" —

with our need to develop hydro-electric and other harmonic fuels for our homes, loved ones and our freedoms.....

Finally, a leader of Mr. T. Boone Pickens emerges...BIG ALASKA, BIG DREAMS, BIG FUTURE, BIG ENERGIES, BIG WATER BASED TECHNOLOGIES of ELECTRICITY

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Where is our Live on Camera Public Energy Forum for our homeowners and families that we all deserve?

Where are our City Councils, Mayor running for another office, Chamber of commerce, Industrial Developers, School Districts cash whipped voting blocks, College Conoco Phillips building leaders of our perfect society., the Oil Companies, AEA openness in letting us follow in developing an energy plan, Our Bankers, Rasmussen Fund people, Permanent Fund Managers, Electric Co-ops, Chugiach,

What the hell has happened to the leadership positions of our great state that makes most of them "hide out in back rooms" or "pretend your not there" or "pretend your not their kind" or "pretend its your problem" or "whats your problem"

or "pretend you dont seem to get it" or "pretend you should feel fourtunate to get 3 minuets to talk"

Where the hell is the newspapers and radio stations that should be publicly calling for an energy meeting for our homes and transportation?

How is it that one man has to go world wide to get the message....an oil guy!

**WHAT THE HELL HAS HAPPENED TO OUR LOCAL LEADERSHIPS IN OUR INSTITUTIONS AND GOVERNMENTS AND FINANCIAL planners.....AND BECAUSE WE THE PEOPLE MAKE UP ALL OF THESE ENTITIES**

**WHAT THE HELL HAS HAPPENED TO US AS A FREEDOM LOVING PEOPLE ;?**

**ESPECIALLY IN ALASKA....**

**you,we. us, the things we love, spouses, children, parents, will never be free unless and until we secure our "Life Essential Energy Needs" needs!**

**All electric homes**

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Hydro electric

Water based technologies

Electricity and Water are Harmonic Fuels when sourced rightly!

We cannot get to a new and better society untill we secure and develop "true and actual cost impact" energies

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[www.pickensplan.com](http://www.pickensplan.com) go there .. it dont get much simpler.. read the comments..

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**From:** Tinker [mailto:tinker@mosquitonet.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 11:12 AM  
**To:** Nizich, Michael A (GOV)  
**Subject:** Fw: Deputy Commissioner for Wildlife Conservation

Mr. N. I am forwarding an email to Denby (which he requested) on my (our) thoughts about replacing the Deputy Commissioner for Wildlife at F&G. Although there are a huge number of Alaskans who realize that the Governor has not made any progress on her "managing for abundance" direction, there is an opportunity here to take small steps in that direction. I think the earlier confrontational attitudes are set aside for now and most of us would really like to see her and the Department move in the right direction.

Hope the Special Session goes well for the Acting Chief of Staff, I'm headed for Gakona to catch a few more sockeye in the fishwheel.

Mike Tinker

— Original Message —

**From:** Tinker  
**To:** Lloyd, Denby S (DFG)  
**Cc:** Jennifer Yuhas ; Virgil Umphenauer  
**Sent:** Monday, July 07, 2008 4:37 PM  
**Subject:** Deputy Commissioner for Wildlife Conservation

Commissioner, Thanks for including us (me) in your search for a new DC. You are aware I was not a KTaylor fan when you selected him but you did use him to best effect and mostly kept him out of the chain of command for Wildlife issues. His replacement can be an opportunity to take a few steps for the management of wildlife adding emphasis on actions that result in desired changes to the various wildlife populations. Jennifer Yuhas, who confided your conversation with her, and a few locals met me for lunch and we discussed what we could say to help you.

In the early Knowles administration, I had several discussions with the then Commissioner Rue and Wildlife Director Smith about why it was that we had established "minimum conditions" for fish resources (like minimum escapement) but even with the emphasis added by the Legislature with the intensive management statute revisions, we couldn't seem to get behind the "minimum conditions" (like population objectives set by the Board of Game) for wildlife. I suspect commercial fishing interests with the attendant political pressures had a lot to do with keeping the feet to the fire for fish. There is no parallel on the wildlife side and I certainly can't compare Alaska's professional hunting organizations with the interest or clout of commercial fishermen. I and many other Alaskans and the Legislators expected the IM changes would result in "emphasis added".

The lack of enthusiasm in the Department for "managing" to the population objective minimums needs some emphasis and we are hoping a new Deputy Commissioner can work in that direction as well as continue the Federal coordination interface and the more detailed but cumbersome issues like endangered species coordination.

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The coordination functions can best be served by someone who knows the "bottom line" on both sides of the issue and can both hold the line for Alaska's interests and recognize how far the federal interests can and will go. It is my opinion that some of your present "representatives" can talk the talk but lack the ability to get tough when it's needed. I would recommend you consider someone with background and backbone in Wildlife issues and controversies and avoid someone who just "wants to get along with everyone".

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 11:01 AM  
**To:** Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)  
**Cc:** Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: Letter

Pls do w that letter of clarification. The company that published the magazine hasnt done it so pls do it and hacew a commission member sign it thanks

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**From:** "Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Wed, 09 Jul 2008 09:32:20 -0800  
**To:** <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: Letter

Governor, I am in Ketchikan right now, but am available to help.

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**To:** Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)  
**Sent:** Wed Jul 09 09:20:32 2008  
**Subject:** Fw: Letter

Clarifications still needed on statehood book (or magazine):  
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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
  
**Date:** Wed, 9 Jul 2008 17:17:33  
**To:** K Perry <kris.perry@alaska.gov>  
**Cc:** Tara Fradley <tara.fradley@alaska.gov>  
**Subject:** Letter

Kris pls have tara contact the adn letter writer today to explain we did not let the Florida contract on the book (magazine more like it)... And one more person needs to write a letter to finally explain, in one sentence, that it was gail phillips-not you- under murkowski, who contracted Outside for publishing. Colleen or someone, pls have them do it today. Thanks

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**From:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]

**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 8:59 AM

**To:** 'Sarah Palin'

**Subject:** Speaker Pelosi

Speaker Pelosi's office called. The Speaker would like to call you today, likely in regards to the letter you sent her. They do not have a specific time and asked if there was a good number to reach you at over the next few hours. Would you like me to give them your cell phone? Or would you prefer they call here and we transfer the call to you?

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**From:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE  
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]

**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 1:02 PM

**To:** 'Sarah Palin'

**Subject:** Senator Stevens

Senator Stevens apparently heard of the fender bender and inquired with John Katz and expressed concern on your well being. John asked that I relay that to you.

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**From:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 10:49 AM  
**To:** 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'  
**Subject:** RE: Speaker Pelosi

I gave it to them.

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**From:** gov.palin@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.palin@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 10:47 AM  
**To:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: Speaker Pelosi

My state cell

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**From:** "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Wed, 09 Jul 2008 10:16:33 -0800  
**To:** <gov.palin@yahoo.com>  
**Subject:** FW: Speaker Pelosi  
Just rec'd an "undeliverable after 1 hour" message on msg below, so am sending to this email.

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**From:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 8:59 AM  
**To:** 'Sarah Palin'  
**Subject:** Speaker Pelosi

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**From:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 10:33 AM  
**To:** Smith; Lynne M (GOV)  
**Subject:** FW: WICHE Policy Alert - July 8, 2008

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**From:** Public Policy & Research [mailto:policy@wiche.edu]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 2:46 PM  
**To:** Palin, Sarah H (GOV)  
**Subject:** WICHE Policy Alert - July 8, 2008

## WICHE Policy Alerts - July 8, 2008

"Lost in Transition: Building a Better Path from School to College and Careers" ([http://http://www.sreb.org/publications/2008/08V01\\_LostInTransition.pdf](http://http://www.sreb.org/publications/2008/08V01_LostInTransition.pdf)) is a report by the Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) that summarizes the conclusions of 15 state education forums, identifies key barriers and policy issues, and recommends a number of key actions for states to take to improve student transitions from high school to postsecondary studies and careers. Increasing collaboration among school districts and postsecondary education is identified as a key strategy to implement new ways of learning that blend academic and technical studies and create rich opportunities to provide integrated learning experiences.

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 9:15 AM  
**To:** Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)  
**Cc:** Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Subject:** Fw: Funding, logistics slow cheers for in-state gas line

Marty- how can Thayer claim there "just isn't the gas in CI" in this article... the messages out there the last two days are so contradictory and confusing to people. Truly, I've had more comments about us being way out there and this idea not sounding too well-thought out these past two days... and some of the confused are our biggest supporters. Today will be important to help clarify via the airwaves. Halcro's going to be a stinker too. For everyone's sake, including all public, we need to spend the time on the air today to clarify any misconceptions people have, and to counter our "partner (?)" Curtis Thayer and the things he's dropped out there the past few days.

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**From:** Scott Heyworth <heyworth@gci.net>  
**Date:** Wed, 09 Jul 2008 08:27:40 -0800  
**To:** Scott R Heyworth<heyworth@gci.net>  
**Subject:** Funding, logistics slow cheers for in-state gas line

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## **Funding, logistics slow cheers for in-state gas line**

By Rena Delbridge

Published Wednesday, July 9, 2008

### **NewsMiner**

**FAIRBANKS** Gov. Sarah Palins proposed in-state gas line, unveiled Monday with some fanfare, faces uncertain prospects with its funding and gas supply, according to some of those involved in the project.

Palin announced a public-private partnership between the state, Enstar Natural Gas Co. and the Alaska Natural Gas Development Authority to build a small-diameter bullet line within the next five years. The plan is to link Anchorage, Fairbanks and the North Slope in a way that will ease Fairbanks home heating oil woes soon while opening a route for North Slope gas to reach Anchorage markets in the long-term.

The smaller line eventually could serve as the in-state spur of a major pipeline, such as the one proposed by TransCanada or the joint proposal by BP and ConocoPhillips.

Officials with the state, Enstar and ANGDA agree the line would put infrastructure in place to allow Alaskans to access their resources, but each party envisions that happening in a somewhat different

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way. The state is hoping to send a signal to explorers that the market demands more gas, thereby spurring new exploration and assuring a steady energy supply for Southcentral, said Joe Balash, special assistant to the governor on oil and gas issues.

Enstar is looking to a line that could feed Anchorage markets with North Slope gas as Cook Inlet contracts become shorter and more difficult to arrange, said Curtis Thayer, director of corporate and external affairs for the utility.

And the voter-created ANGDA, which can access funding outside of the state treasury, said the bullet line keeps Alaska's options open into the future, with the potential for boosting propane and liquefied natural gas markets as well, said Harold Heinze, CEO.

How a spur line plays out could hinge on supply. Enstar and ANGDA seem less confident than the state that Cook Inlet can continue supplying gas to meet needs, citing some lapses already at peak winter use in Anchorage.

We have been unsuccessful in negotiating contracts over five years due to the deliverability of gas in the Cook Inlet, Thayer said. Because of that, he added, Enstar has had to look elsewhere for gas sources. The Anchorage-area utility serves about half of Alaska's population with 3,000 miles of distribution lines in Southcentral.

Do we want to roll the dice, or do we want to spend the money and build a line to the (North Slope) foothills? Thayer asked. We know there is gas on the North Slope. The thing is, we don't have the gas in Cook Inlet. The gas does not exist in Cook Inlet.

Fairbanks Natural Gas President Dan Britton said he, too, has questions about Palins proposal to deliver Cook Inlet natural gas to Fairbanks.

We are doing that today but struggle to get contracts for Cook Inlet gas, he said. Its hard for me to understand what the justification might be for a multi-billion investment when youre unable to secure a longer gas supply.

One possible supply could come from Anadarkos development of the Gubik field in the North Slope foothills, Thayer said. FNG also is turning to the North Slope, with plans to build a liquid natural gas facility in the next few years and truck the product to Fairbanks markets.

Whether Palins bullet line stops at Fairbanks or reaches the North Slope depends on whether Cook Inlet gas can supply the line and whether exploration underway in the Nenana and Copper River basins turns into development, according to an administration press release.

Heinze, of ANGDA, said a bullet line might bridge the gap for Fairbanks until a large line links the North Slope with Canada and the Lower 48. He said the general view is that Cook Inlet has lots of potential but that he and Enstar are somewhat more skeptical.

Enstar officials estimated Cook Inlet supplies could run out by 2014, he said.

There is no doubt there are some real problems, Heinze said. On the other hand, the administration is very confident, and they are the landowner.

The governors office said it believes Cook Inlet has strong resources.

What were trying to do here is create access to markets for gas that we believe is in Cook Inlet, our geologists believe is in Cook Inlet. Its creating the opportunity for that gas to make it into the market and get sold. Balash said.

Balash acknowledged that the proven reserves in Southcentral are falling into the nine- to 10-year range, but

he said a changing supply-demand ration may drive new exploration.

The Richardson Route was previously considered by ANGDA, and offers a known path and access to potential military and industrial clients, while avoiding permitting problems that could crop up near a national park, Heinze said. Exact routing is one of the things the team will have to discuss.

Progress of any kind probably won't be made until after the legislative special session on TransCanada's pipeline proposal under the Alaska Gasline Inducement Act wraps up this summer.

Balash expected the group to then iron out a timeline, evaluate financing options and decide how each party can contribute.

We have a pretty healthy treasury and the ability to do some things, the luxury to do some things now, he said. At the end of the day it's likely that we'll be asking the Legislature for some form of financial support or commitment or guarantees something that helps bring surety to the project.

In Fairbanks, Britton said that once a larger supply of gas reaches the city, either through the bullet line or trucked in as LNG, an expansion could be in order to the 50-plus miles of distribution line already in place.

The timing of expansion would depend on people's interest level and the economics of the expansion, Britton said. Conditions, roads and populations all figure into the cost equation, he said, although on average new distribution may run \$200,000 per mile.

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 9:22 AM  
**To:** Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)  
**Cc:** Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)  
**Subject:** Fw: Funding, logistics slow cheers for in-state gas line

Communicating our message is tough when curtis thayer is out there on the airwaves saying things his bosses (Colleen and Gene Dubay) are having to counter.

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Date:** Wed, 9 Jul 2008 17:14:39 +0000  
**To:** Tom Irwin<tom.irwin@alaska.gov>; Marty Rutherford<marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>  
**CC:** Joe Balash<joe.balash@alaska.gov>; K Perry<kris.perry@alaska.gov>  
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Marty- how can Thayer claim there "just isn't the gas in CI" in this article... the messages out there the last two days are so contradictory and confusing to people. Truly, I've had more comments about us being way out there and this idea not sounding too well-thought out these past two days... and some of the confused are our biggest supporters. Today will be important to help clarify via the airwaves. Halcro's going to be a stinker too. For everyone's sake, including all public, we need to spend the time on the air today to clarify any misconceptions people have, and to counter our "partner (?)" Curtis Thayer and the things he's dropped out there the past few days.

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**From:** Scott Heyworth <heyworth@gci.net>  
**Date:** Wed, 09 Jul 2008 08:27:40 -0800  
**To:** Scott R Heyworth<heyworth@gci.net>  
**Subject:** Funding, logistics slow cheers for in-state gas line

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## **Funding, logistics slow cheers for in-state gas line**

By [Rena Delbridge](#)

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**FAIRBANKS** Gov. Sarah Palins proposed in-state gas line, unveiled Monday with some fanfare, faces uncertain prospects with its funding and gas supply, according to some of those involved in the project.

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Palin announced a public-private partnership between the state, Enstar Natural Gas Co. and the Alaska Natural Gas Development Authority to build a small-diameter bullet line within the next five years. The plan is to link Anchorage, Fairbanks and the North Slope in a way that will ease Fairbanks home heating oil woes soon while opening a route for North Slope gas to reach Anchorage markets in the long-term.

The smaller line eventually could serve as the in-state spur of a major pipeline, such as the one proposed by TransCanada or the joint proposal by BP and ConocoPhillips.

Officials with the state, Enstar and ANGDA agree the line would put infrastructure in place to allow Alaskans to access their resources, but each party envisions that happening in a somewhat different way. The state is hoping to send a signal to explorers that the market demands more gas, thereby spurring new exploration and assuring a steady energy supply for Southcentral, said Joe Balash, special assistant to the governor on oil and gas issues.

Enstar is looking to a line that could feed Anchorage markets with North Slope gas as Cook Inlet contracts become shorter and more difficult to arrange, said Curtis Thayer, director of corporate and external affairs for the utility.

And the voter-created ANGDA, which can access funding outside of the state treasury, said the bullet line keeps Alaska options open into the future, with the potential for boosting propane and liquefied natural gas markets as well, said Harold Heinze, CEO.

How a spur line plays out could hinge on supply. Enstar and ANGDA seem less confident than the state that Cook Inlet can continue supplying gas to meet needs, citing some lapses already at peak winter use in Anchorage.

We have been unsuccessful in negotiating contracts over five years due to the deliverability of gas in the Cook Inlet, Thayer said. Because of that, he added, Enstar has had to look elsewhere for gas sources. The Anchorage-area utility serves about half of Alaska's population with 3,000 miles of distribution lines in Southcentral.

Do we want to roll the dice, or do we want to spend the money and build a line to the (North Slope) foothills? Thayer asked. We know there is gas on the North Slope. The thing is, we don't have the gas in Cook Inlet. The gas does not exist in Cook Inlet.

Fairbanks Natural Gas President Dan Britton said he, too, has questions about Palin's proposal to deliver Cook Inlet natural gas to Fairbanks.

We are doing that today but struggle to get contracts for Cook Inlet gas, he said. It's hard for me to understand what the justification might be for a multi-billion investment when you're unable to secure a longer gas supply.

One possible supply could come from Anadarko's development of the Gubik field in the North Slope foothills, Thayer said. FNG also is turning to the North Slope, with plans to build a liquid natural gas facility in the next few years and truck the product to Fairbanks markets.

Whether Palin's bullet line stops at Fairbanks or reaches the North Slope depends on whether Cook Inlet gas can supply the line and whether exploration underway in the Nenana and Copper River basins turns into development, according to an administration press release.

Heinze, of ANGDA, said a bullet line might bridge the gap for Fairbanks until a large line links the North Slope with Canada and the Lower 48. He said the general view is that Cook Inlet has lots of potential but that he and Enstar are somewhat more skeptical.

Enstar officials estimated Cook Inlet supplies could run out by 2014, he said.

There is no doubt there are some real problems, Heinze said. On the other hand, the administration is very

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confident, and they are the landowner.

The governors office said it believes Cook Inlet has strong resources.

What were trying to do here is create access to markets for gas that we believe is in Cook Inlet, our geologists believe is in Cook Inlet. Its creating the opportunity for that gas to make it into the market and get sold, Balash said.

Balash acknowledged that the proven reserves in Southcentral are falling into the nine- to 10-year range, but he said a changing supply-demand ration may drive new exploration.

The Richardson Route was previously considered by ANGDA, and offers a known path and access to potential military and industrial clients, while avoiding permitting problems that could crop up near a national park, Heinze said. Exact routing is one of the things the team will have to discuss.

Progress of any kind probably wont be made until after the legislative special session on TransCanadas pipeline proposal under the Alaska Gasline Inducement Act wraps up this summer.

Balash expected the group to then iron out a timeline, evaluate financing options and decide how each party can contribute.

We have a pretty healthy treasury and the ability to do some things, the luxury to do some things now, he said. At the end of the day its likely that well be asking the Legislature for some form of financial support or commitment or guarantees something that helps bring surety to the project.

In Fairbanks, Britton said that once a larger supply of gas reaches the city, either through the bullet line or trucked in as LNG, an expansion could be in order to the 50-plus miles of distribution line already in place.

The timing of expansion would depend on peoples interest level and the economics of the expansion, Britton said. Conditions, roads and populations all figure into the cost equation, he said, although on average new distribution may run \$200,000 per mile.



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**From:** gov.palin@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 4:41 PM  
**To:** Ivy personal; Frank Bailey; K Perry Yahoo; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)  
**Cc:** Todd  
**Subject:** Re: please send this email to adn and bcc me on it--thanks!!

Guys, I may be pretty wimpy about this family stuff, but I feel like I'm at the breaking point with the hurtful gossip about my family that Sherry and others get away with. Bear with me. I hate this part of the job and many days I feel like it's not worth it when they have to put up with the hate that spews from people like Sherry, and there are others.

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**From:** Ivy Frye <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>  
**Date:** Wed, 9 Jul 2008 17:24:37 -0700 (PDT)  
**To:** Sarah Palin <gov.palin@yahoo.com>  
**Subject:** Fw: please send this email to adn and bcc me on it--thanks!!

Below is the email Don sent to ADN. It's not much, but we were trying to bring there attention to this ongoing and very frustrating situation. Her comments are downright libelous. You're right-she's a crazy hater.

--- On Tue, 7/8/08, Ivy Frye <ivyfrye@yahoo.com> wrote:

**From:** Ivy Frye <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>  
**Subject:** please send this email to adn and bcc me on it--thanks!!  
**To:** "Donny Benson" <asudad@mtaonline.net>, "Donny Benson" <dab@nhtiusa.com>  
**Date:** Tuesday, July 8, 2008, 9:24 PM

Hey,

Cut the body of this email and paste into a new email and send to [content@adn.com](mailto:content@adn.com).

Dear Sir or Madam,

I'm writing to bring your attention to the increasingly inappropriate comments posted by the blogger syrin. Every day she posts comments that have absolutely no bearing on policy. For example, today the ADN posted a positive story on the national press Governor Palin is receiving, yet syrin accuses the governor of having an affair or makes hateful comments about her young children. I don't often feel compelled to write, but syrin's comments are never on topic, nor are they civil as is stated in the terms of use.

Thank you for your time.

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 4:32 PM  
**To:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: Phone Call from ADN Reporter Kyle Hopkins re travel for governor's family  
For Sharon, so she has a heads up:

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**From:** "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>  
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**Subject:** FW: Phone Call from ADN Reporter Kyle Hopkins re travel for governor's family

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 3:38 PM  
**To:** Mason; Janice L (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Subject:** Fw: Phone Call from ADN Reporter Kyle Hopkins re travel for governor's family  
The \$725 check will be in the mail today for lauden's ticket. Who do I make it to, what is the address?

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
**Date:** Wed, 9 Jul 2008 23:35:33 +0000  
**To:** Talis Colberg<talis.colberg@alaska.gov>; M Nizich<mike.nizich@alaska.gov>  
**CC:** Sharon Leighow<sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>; K Perry<kris.perry@alaska.gov>; Janice Mason<janice.mason@alaska.gov>  
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Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)

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**From:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 2:15 PM  
**To:** hgrubis@northstar.k12.ak.us  
**Subject:** RE: Education

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 1:18 PM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** Education

Web mail from: Mr. Hannibal Grubis  
address: PO Box 83653 Fairbanks AK 99708  
807-455-8405

### MESSAGE:

I am a high school teacher in Fairbanks, Alaska. I teach math (everything from geometry to calculus), am a cross-country running coach, and the father of a 3.5 year old and a six month old.

I was the Academic Decathlon (ACADECA) coach at West Valley for many years (counting my bride's time coaching and mine it has been 10 years). We have been very successful, winning the state championship 3 of the last four years. We are having a "good bye picnic with students from the last 10 years at the end of July".

I'm writing because ACADECA is an ideal way to motivate rural students for excellence. Unfortunately, with budget cuts, fewer rural schools are participating in the state competition which is sponsored by G.C.I.



Please consider allocating state monies for rural schools for materials and flights to the state competition.

If you would like to hear more about this opportunity for educational excellence, please e-mail me back.

Thank you,

Hannibal Grubis

P.S. You are doing an awesome job. Even though I often vote democratic, I have your back and I will vote for your re-election.

hgrubis@northstar.k12.ak.us

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**From:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE  
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 2:09 PM  
**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'  
**Subject:** Airport

At arrival, 7pm, go to the upper ramp (departures) to United. You'll be greeted there by airport personnel (and me) to take luggage.

From there go back around to airport again to the bottom ramp/baggage claim area to United. Airport security will meet you there and escort you all thru security. They'll park car.

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 2:27 PM  
**To:** Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: Letter

Thank u

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**From:** "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Wed, 09 Jul 2008 14:16:05 -0800  
**To:** ExternalEmailgsp<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) <kris.perry@alaska.gov>; Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV) <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Letter

Governor-

Chris Constant is looking at the draft we sent him. He said he would be happy to sign his name to a letter.

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 2:11 PM  
**To:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: Letter

I wouldn't wait for faircount. Let's just submit and tell truthfully this was NOT done on our watch.

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**From:** "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Wed, 09 Jul 2008 11:07:28 -0800  
**To:** ExternalEmailgsp<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV) <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>  
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I just spoke to Chris Constant. He is a member, and was at the time the contract was executed. He should sign. I'll give info to Sharon.

I'm still going to work on Faircount. They are not very responsive - which is not anything new.

Colleen is taking care of contacting the letter writer and may have already done so.

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 2:50 PM  
**To:** Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)  
**Cc:** Frank Bailey; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: FW: Emailing: Think About It Radio Kenai radiokenai.com KSRM,KWHQ, KKIS, KSLD  
"Conspicuously absent" were fairbanks gas and GVEA, is another rumor. Also, that Enstar was never on board with the Richardson route and we sprang that on them that day. And that Harold and Enstar hate each other... I'm hearing other speculation also I'll pass on as people are dumping it my way and you all need to hear the noise too. Lots of speculation, negative rumors.

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**From:** "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Wed, 09 Jul 2008 14:28:55 -0800  
**To:** Balash, Joseph R (GOV) <joe.balash@alaska.gov>; <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Rutherford, Marty K (DNR) <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>  
**CC:** <fb907@yahoo.com>; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) <kris.perry@alaska.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: FW: Emailing: Think About It Radio Kenai radiokenai.com KSRM, KWHQ, KKIS, KSLD

I agree with Joe's numbers. Actually reconfirmed with DGGS and Oil and Gas this morning.

Kris, please let Sharon know she can schedule me for 9 tomorrow with Kenai. Also want to get with Eddie and ? Set up the schedule and I will adjust in Juneau. I want to get the correct word out just get me the time and phone number to call in. Thanks. Tom

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**To:** ExternalEmailsp; Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)  
**Cc:** Frank Bailey <fb907@yahoo.com>; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Sent:** Wed Jul 09 14:19:37 2008  
**Subject:** RE: FW: Emailing: Think About It Radio Kenai radiokenai.com KSRM, KWHQ, KKIS, KSLD

Geologically, there are 1.4 trillion cubic feet of gas available in Cook Inlet. That is a 9-10 year supply if the LNG export at Kenai continues (its current export license is set to expire in 2011). Without another extension of the LNG export license, those reserves would last an additional six years or so.

Undiscovered resources in Cook Inlet have been estimated by the geologists at the USGS (feds) and DGGS (state). The USGS is very optimistic--in excess of 10 trillion cubic feet. The DGGS and Division of Oil and Gas are much more conservative--closer to 5 or 6 trillion cubic feet. If it's the lower figure, then 5 trillion cubic feet would be more than 50 years' supply.

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**To:** Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Balash, Joseph R (GOV)  
**Cc:** Frank Bailey; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: FW: Emailing: Think About It Radio Kenai radiokenai.com KSRM, KWHQ, KKIS, KSLD

Argghhh... more confusion in the commentary below:

(And what is our answer re: how much gas is in CI after hearing for years there is such a shortage? I know about the

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limited market- what about geologically?)  
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From: frank bailey <fb907@yahoo.com>

Date: Wed, 9 Jul 2008 14:23:07

To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: <krisandclark@yahoo.com>; Ivy personal <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>

Subject: Re: FW: Emailing: Think About It Radio Kenai radiokenai.com KSRM, KWHQ, KKIS, KSLD

Its text and I'll copy below. From KSRM's "Think About It" Editorial column. I launched to the Energy team and copied in Kelly, Nizich, Sharon.

THINK  
ABOUT IT

other recent comment>

I hate to  
tell you but there are a few of us who are really confused.

We really need someone to step up and help us  
understand what is really going on right now in our state.

When we first heard Governor Sarah Palin  
announce that she wants and will heartily support a natural gas pipeline  
from the Kenai Peninsula to Fairbanks....we thought she must have  
accidentally got the announcement backwards and that she really meant  
support for the bullet line to bring natural gas to the Kenai from the

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North Slope.

Then we

realized that her announcement was not backwards and she really wants to bring natural gas from the Kenai to Fairbanks...not only that, but the idea has been blessed by Borough Mayor John Williams and many other people who are supposed to have their heads screwed on straight.

And that is the

reason for our confusion.

You mean to

tell me that someone is hiding natural gas in a big underground pocket under Cook Inlet or somewhere in our

Borough? I hope so.

Didn't the

State government and the Feds just approve a ten year contract with

Conoco Phillips to send what little natural gas we have left in

Cook Inlet to a foreign country?

Didn't one of

the biggest employers, Agrium, just shut down and send over three hundred people packing because there is not enough natural gas to operate their big fertilizer plant?

Isn't one of

the biggest worries of government officials the possibility of not having enough natural gas available in South Central Alaska to heat our homes and businesses during the cold winter months?

Why then would

anyone want to take the natural gas that we do not have on the Kenai Peninsula and ship it north through the rail belt to Fairbanks?

Why wouldn't

our state government organize and get behind an effort to bring natural gas south from the North Slope where we have virtually unlimited amounts ready to go to market?

Why would we

even be thinking about sending North Slope natural gas through a pipeline through Canada to the

lower 48 markets without demanding that, first of all, it be shipped to

Fairbanks, Anchorage

and the Kenai?

What is going

on? I hope someone knows, but to us, that certainly does not appear to be the case. No wonder some of us are really confused.

Think About It!

JCD 7/9/08

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**From:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 10:17 AM  
**To:** 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'  
**Subject:** FW: Nga

Just in case not rec'd on other email acct.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 10:10 AM  
**To:** ExternalEmailgsp  
**Subject:** RE: Nga

There are no dinners, only receptions. Weather is forecasted to be high 80's. Event days: 4 (Friday evening to Monday morning).

First event is Fri evening w/a welcome and opening reception and then an outside reception (taste of Philadelphia).

On Saturday, there is the opening news conf, and centennial sessions throughout the day about leadership and innovation. (Bill Clinton will be the keynote at one of them) and then receptions and walking tour that eve.

Sunday, Plenary sessions and committee sessions throughout the day. Another "mix & mingle" reception that eve.

Monday is the final morning plenary session along w/RGA Gov's only mtg and a luncheon.

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 9:49 AM  
**To:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Subject:** Nga

Haven't seen the agenda of events/mtgs so am guessing what to pack- how many actual days

of mtgs are there?

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**From:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 11:58 AM  
**To:** Selma Kopanuk  
**Subject:** RE: City of Scammon Bay water intake

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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**From:** Selma Kopanuk [mailto:cityofscmbay@gci.net]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 11:04 AM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** City of Scammon Bay water intake

I am James Akere

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From: Brent Western [bmwfish@ak.net]  
Sent: Wednesday, July 09, 2008 11:46 AM  
To: Crome; Cora J (GOV); Crome; Cora J (GOV)  
Cc: Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Palin; Sarah H (GOV)  
Subject: Cook Inlet Salmon Management

Cora,

I find it very disheartening that the state has subverted the BOF process by creating new regulation for Upper Cook Inlet salmon. I'm referring to the restriction placed on the drift fleet by Commissioner Lloyd for tomorrow 7/10/08. This new regulation was created after the BOF hearings and stated in the Department's (ADF&G) pre-season management plan announced months ago. There was no new information that was available to make this decision and it flies in the face of the BOF process. If this had been decided as a necessary step in-season, then I would agree. However, the in-season data seems to support the opposite of a closure, but a standard full opener for the drift fleet. Here are just a couple of new information data sets:

1. The OTF (offshore test fishing) indexes are 2 times the average (1988-2007) 602 (2008) vs 292 avg. (1988-2007).
2. The drift catch is the 6th highest since 1980 with fewer boats fishing.

All this seems to point out to a fairly large run of sockeye to UCI and indicates more abundant sockeye for all systems. The department and we also supported a simplification of the UCI salmon plans to allow for flexible and in-season management--which all our users and areas across this state rely on given the variables of salmon returns. We are perplexed to why the department has done this and many of us have tried to get a response to why this has occurred, but no real response from the Commissioner has been received.

The state of Alaska has had sound fisheries management based on the best available data. It seems we are going backwards here in UCI. Except for actula weir counts, the use of the Didson sonar shows the most accurate counts and at the BOF hearings this winter the department stated that it would be using the Didson. However now the department is using the Bendix sonar. The department is placing restrictions on users prior to to in-season information would warrant any such restriction. If we are not going to use the local area manager, the best science available, and other sound managemenet practices--why not just fire 90% of ADF&G staff and let some one from Juneau decide when and what occurs in our fisheries. It seems that's already happening--so why not save the state some money on staff and let our fisheries follow the fatal course of the lower-48 and other world fisheries destroyed by not using the best management and science available.

Anyway, you can sense my frustration with not using the best in-season management and best science (i.e. best sonar, etc...) My hope is that Alaska will manage it's fisheries wisely and keep politics (i.e. salmon task force, ...) out of it. Unfortunately that will never happen, but as an optimist--I still have faint hope.

Respectfully,

Brent M. Western

2500 Autumn Drive

Anchorage, AK 99516

907-440-4601

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**From:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 10:44 AM  
**To:** 'hilary\_currey@arwa.org'  
**Subject:** RE: Public\_Safety

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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**From:** WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 08, 2008 5:08 PM  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
**Subject:** Public\_Safety

Web mail from: Ms. Hilary Currey

address: 1075 Check Street STE 106 Wasilla AK 99654  
907-357-1155

### MESSAGE:

I would like to invite Governor Palin to speak at our 10th Annual Water Professionals Conference in November. The event is held to educate water and wastewater operators and administrative staff to ensure the Public Health throughout rural Alaska. Many of these professionals obtain a large portion of their Continuing Education Units (CEU's) that are required for licensing every year at this conference. It would be our honor if during this event Ms. Palin would speak on behalf of the State of Alaska and Public Health issues. The conference is November 3-6, 2008. Please let me know at your earliest convenience. Thank you.

Regards,

Hilary J Currey

Executive Director

Alaska Rural Water Association

(907)357-1155

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 1:03 PM  
**To:** Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: Letter

Thanks! Hope that company follows through. The letter should name names - Gail contracted with them, you didn't.

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**From:** "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Wed, 09 Jul 2008 12:34:57 -0800  
**To:** ExternalEmailsp<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)  
<rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)<sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Letter

Just an FYI, I spoke w/Faircount. They will do whatever necessary to convey the correct story and correct the misinformation. I've shared this info w/Sharon. Also, a piece is being prepared for a commission member.

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**Cc:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)  
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**To:** Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)  
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I wouldn't wait for faircount. Let's just submit and tell truthfully this was NOT done on our watch.

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**Date:** Wed, 09 Jul 2008 11:07:28 -0800  
**To:** ExternalEmailgsp<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV) <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Letter

I just spoke to Chris Constant. He is a member, and was at the time the contract was executed. He should sign. I'll give info to Sharon.

I'm still going to work on Faircount. They are not very responsive – which is not anything new.

Colleen is taking care of contacting the letter writer and may have already done so.

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 9:29 AM  
**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'  
**Cc:** Fradley, Tara D (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: Letter

Ok. Rather than another from this office I'm trying to get Faircount. If they don't asap (today), we will.

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**Cc:** Fradley, Tara D (GOV)  
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**From:** Nizich, Michael A (GOV) [mike.nizich@alaska.gov]

**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 12:16 PM

**To:** gov.palin@yahoo.com

**Subject:** RE: Deputy Commissioner for Wildlife Conservation

I am still looking for his resume. I need to search the files down in B&C's for it. I do not have a copy in my files. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

As for Walt I had another thought. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted  
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**From:** gov.palin@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.palin@yahoo.com]

**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 8:24 AM

**To:** Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

**Subject:** Re: Deputy Commissioner for Wildlife Conservation

Privileged or Personal Material Redacted Did u find out more on his resume, education background?

And about Walt- Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

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**From:** "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

**Date:** Tue, 08 Jul 2008 23:50:04 -0800

**To:** <gov.palin@yahoo.com>

**Subject:** RE: Deputy Commissioner for Wildlife Conservation

So is that the green light to get this moving? I'd be happy to make the offer and arrangements while you are out of state.

By the way I have a meeting scheduled with Walt Friday afternoon. I will call you with the results of that meeting.

Mike

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**From:** gov.palin@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.palin@yahoo.com]

**Sent:** Tue 7/8/2008 10:52 PM

**To:** Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

**Subject:** Re: Deputy Commissioner for Wildlife Conservation

Well, there you go. Sounds like a proponent of ushering in change via new blood in that DC position. Privilefits that bill.

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**From:** "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

**Date:** Tue, 08 Jul 2008 16:07:07 -0800

**To:** <gov.palin@yahoo.com>

**Subject:** FW: Deputy Commissioner for Wildlife Conservation

Here is an email I just received. I think it hits home along the lines of what we have discussed about the needed change in F&G.

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Re: please send this email to adn and bcc me on it--thanks!!

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**From:** gov.palin@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 5:35 PM  
**To:** Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: please send this email to adn and bcc me on it--thanks!!

This is Bristol my moms driving, we say thank you so much and mom and I were just praying about the hurt and anger that comes with her job. Thank you for your faith in God. We share it and we love you!  
Bristol

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**From:** "Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>  
**Date:** Wed, 09 Jul 2008 17:00:22 -0800  
**To:** <gov.palin@yahoo.com>  
**Subject:** Re: please send this email to adn and bcc me on it--thanks!!

Governor, do you know how loved you are? These four or five bitter people are so NOT representative. You are so, so loved. The enemy is trying to discourage you. Hang I there! You are doing such an awesome job. You are an amazing lady and the Lord is your defender. He knows the truth and He is going to vindicate you. It hurts my heart to hear these horrible people are bringing you down. We forgive them, Lord. Help theses people come to know You.

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**To:** Ivy personal <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>; Frank Bailey <fb907@yahoo.com>; K Perry Yahoo <krisandclark@yahoo.com>; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)  
**Cc:** Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Wed Jul 09 16:40:39 2008  
**Subject:** Re: please send this email to adn and bcc me on it--thanks!!

Guys, I may be pretty wimpy about this family stuff, but I feel like I'm at the breaking point with the hurtful gossip about my family that Sherry and others get away with. Bear with me. I hate this part of the job and many days I feel like it's not worth it when they have to put up with the hate that spews from people like Sherry, and there are others.

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**From:** Ivy Frye <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>  
**Date:** Wed, 9 Jul 2008 17:24:37 -0700 (PDT)  
**To:** Sarah Palin <gov.palin@yahoo.com>  
**Subject:** Fw: please send this email to adn and bcc me on it--thanks!!

Below is the email Don sent to ADN. It's not much, but we were trying to bring there attention to this ongoing and very frustrating situation. Her comments are downright libelous. You're right-she's a crazy hater.

-- On Tue, 7/8/08, Ivy Frye <ivyfrye@yahoo.com> wrote:

**From:** Ivy Frye <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>  
**Subject:** please send this email to adn and bcc me on it--thanks!!  
**To:** "Donny Benson" <asadad@mtaonline.net>, "Donny Benson" <dab@nhtiusa.com>  
**Date:** Tuesday, July 8, 2008, 9:24 PM

Hey,

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Re: please send this email to adn and bcc me on it--thanks!!

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 4:53 PM  
**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'  
**Subject:** Re: Blog

That's terrible, Governor. As if they haven't stooped low enough on those blogs. I'm sorry for the distress this has caused. Sharon and I will discuss this and see how to best deal with this blog situation, as it continues to be a thorn in our flesh.

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**To:** Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>; Ivy personal <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>  
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**To:** Ivy personal; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frank Bailey  
**Subject:** Re: Blog

She has another gross one about Fagan and me. Gross.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Ivy personal  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin  
**To:** Sharon Leighow  
**To:** Rosanne Hughes  
**To:** K Perry  
**To:** Frank Bailey  
**ReplyTo:** Ivy personal  
**Sent:** Jul 9, 2008 4:16 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Blog

Flagged two more times in my house too. I had Don send an email to the content director too. Absolutely ridiculous how long it stayed up there.

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
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**Cc:** Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Ivy personal; Todd  
**Subject:** Re: Blog

Pat deleted it when we were on the phone together.

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**Cc:** Sharon Leighow  
**Cc:** Rosanne Hughes  
**Cc:** K Perry  
**Cc:** Ivy personal  
**ReplyTo:** Frank Bailey  
**Sent:** Jul 9, 2008 4:10 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Blog

Sherry Whitstine's comment was flagged 3 times and still there as of last night. Looks like its finally removed as of now.

It went up yesterday afternoon sometime.

Unacceptable. Disgusting. Vindictive.

I printed for Nizich who gave to Bob Cockrell as well.

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**Subject:** Blog

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I called Pat. We read through Sherry's blog entries from yesterday together. They are so hateful and hurtful. He said he banned her once already. Her husband asked that she be allowed back on and that she'd behave. Pat agrees the entries are over the top, he said to ask people to "flag" the ones that are lies or whatever- he was very nice about ti, but said they don't have time to censor all this - I said I don't have time either. Todd may call Sherry or Tom and ask them why they lie like they do.

I think our security guys should check into her because the times she's blogged about Todd's schedule and what we drive have really infringed on our privacy rights and potential safety when psychos know when Todd's out of town.

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**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'  
**Cc:** Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)  
**Subject:** Re: Phone Call from ADN Reporter Kyle Hopkins re travel for governor's family

Yes, the state is covering. I will let Talis and others know.

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**Cc:** Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)  
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Did they fully cover this trip? Pls let sharon, talis, nizich, others know so adn doesn't report otherwise.

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Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Sent: Wed Jul 09 15:35:33 2008

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To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Cc: Jones, David T (LAW)

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 5:06 PM

**To:** gov.palin@yahoo.com; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)

**Cc:** Ruaro; Randall P (GOV)

**Subject:** Southeast Director for DOT

Mal Menzies the Southeast Director for DOT has submitted his resignation. He will be leaving in August.

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GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JRBALASH]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 11:22 PM  
**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'  
**Cc:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV)  
**Subject:** Hickel

Governor,

Later today (10:00 am AK time), governor hickel is going to hold a press availability and come out strong against awarding a license to transcanada. Backbone is split with most folks on Gottstein's side (and ours).

I imagine we will be pressed by media outlets for a response. Is there anything in particular you would like to convey? I think the story is going to be overshadowed, but we likely can't ignore it. Short and sweet ought to do.

Joe



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**From:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 09, 2008 6:39 PM  
**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'  
**Subject:** Re: Airport

Yes. I have everyone ck'd in and your boarding passes. I'll get your luggage, get it checked. They'll escort you thru down below. I will go thru up her after everything is ck'd and will see you on other side. .

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
**To:** Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)  
**Sent:** Wed Jul 09 18:26:25 2008  
**Subject:** Re: Airport

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** K Perry  
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin  
**To:** gov.palin@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Jul 9, 2008 2:08 PM  
**Subject:** Airport

At arrival, 7pm, go to the upper ramp (departures) to United. You'll be greeted there by airport personnel (and me) to take luggage.

From there go back around to airport again to the bottom ramp/baggage claim area to United. Airport security will meet you there and escort you all thru security. They'll park car.

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**To:** gov.palin@yahoo.com  
**Subject:** Re: please send this email to adn and bcc me on it--thanks!!

Thanks, Bristol. I love you guys, too.

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**To:** Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)  
**Sent:** Wed Jul 09 17:34:55 2008  
**Subject:** Re: please send this email to adn and bcc me on it--thanks!!

This is Bristol my moms driving, we say thank you so much and mom and I were just praying about the hurt and anger that comes with her job. Thank you for your faith in God. We share it and we love you!

Bristol

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**To:** <gov.palin@yahoo.com>  
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To: Sarah Palin<gov.palin@yahoo.com>

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